

## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)**

**The Egyptian Center for Strategic Studies**, as a leading think tank in Egypt and the Middle East, aims to enhance objective understanding of international and regional transformations,

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The two parties agreed to sign this MOU.

### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this MOU is to expand research and academic cooperation between the two parties, to facilitate achieving their mutual and common research agenda, deepen objective understanding of international and regional issues of mutual concern, and building constructive linkages among researchers and academics on both sides.

### **AREAS OF COOPERATION**

The Two parties agreed that this MOU covers these areas of cooperation:

- 1- Holding bilateral workshops, seminars and conferences to discuss topics of mutual concern.
- 2- Making research projects on certain topics, and international and regional policies of mutual concern.
- 3- Publishing monographs on topics of mutual concern.
- 4- Publishing articles and analysis on website of each other's.
- 5- Receiving delegations of each other's.

Other areas of cooperation may be added to the above areas after mutual agreement.

## FIANACIAL ARRANGEMENTS

It is understood that the above-mentioned areas of cooperation express the good intention of the two parties to build a sustainable and constructive cooperation between them, and any actual cooperation in any of these areas requires detailed and separate agreement between the parties.

## VI. PERIOD OF AGREEMENT


This MOU will be effective when signed by both parties. This MOU may be amended at any time by the mutual written consent of the parties. The parties will review this MOU at least once every two years to determine whether it should be revised, renewed or cancelled. Either party may terminate this agreement by providing 60 days' written notice to the other party. This MOU does not involve the exchange of funds nor establish any obligation on the part of either party to make payment now or in the future to the other party.

No modification or addition will be valid unless signed by the two parties. Notices and other official communications between the parties will be considered as delivered if hand delivered, if posted as registered international mail, or sent by email.

Signed by:

**The Egyptian Center  
for Strategic Studies**

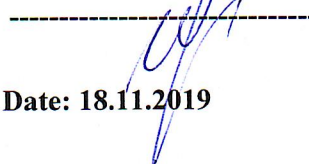
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